

Every precaution was taken for the safety of the money. One thousand dollars were placed in a single canvas bag and the bag was labeled with the number of the counter. The bag was then placed in a small pine box and the box was also numbered. Express wagons were utilized in carrying the money from the old mint to the new, one hundred boxes being placed in a wagon. Two armed guards accompanied each wagon. The silver vaults at the new mint have a capacity of 110,000,000 silver dollars.

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—THE LIMIT.

Tiepass Teddy—Say, Harry, wot's de drunkard, yer ever been?

Handkerchief—No, I never. I so drunk now dat I t'ought I didn't want no more booze.—New York World.